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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

RECENT OPERATIONS

By Paul Rardin

Last week I had something to say in this column about the inadequate telephone service rendered in the Lake Okeechobee Farming Region. The ink was hardly dry on the article when my phone rang and on the other end was none other than the district manager of the Southern Bell Telephone company—E. C. Bowen.

Mr. Bowen says that plans are under way to give a better service in this area but that a shortage of materials makes it next to the impossible to do anything about it immediately. Three additional circuits are expected to be cut in between Belle Glade and Pahokee by Jan. 15. There are now 12 in operation over this same route.

The telephone official said that expansion plans call for handling all applications for new phones now on hand when the capacity of the office in Pahokee is expanded.

I think what upset me last week was the fact that I dialed the long distance operator in Belle Glade and the signal rang 208 (yes, that's right, 208) times before the operator answered. I dialed at exactly 10:15 on Thursday, Dec. 5, 1946, and kept count of the times the signal rang before the operator answered. Just for proof I called in others in the office to listen to the ring. I don't know how many times the thing rang per minute but it was some time before 11 a. m. when I finally reached the operator in Belle Glade. Such service would not be tolerated in other areas.

The Lake Okeechobee Farming Region is entitled to better telephone service than it has had during the past few years.

Lions Club Tells Of Its Year's Work

Achievements of the Pahokee Lions Club during the past year were summarized in reports given by standing committee chairmen at the club's Tuesday luncheon meeting.

The finance chairman reported the club raised \$12,756 during the year, of which \$12,000 has been set aside for the construction of the proposed swimming pool at the city recreation park. The membership chairman reported a club membership of 73, including 25 new members received through transfer of membership cards. Rupert Mock reported the club is cooperating in the improvement program now underway at the local air strip.

Nazarene Revival To Close Sunday

The revival at the Church of the Nazarene has been progressing very nicely with Rev. A. E. Kelly as the evangelist. Sunday Dec. 15, will be the closing day. We wish to extend a hearty welcome to all, to be with us for this closing day.

Pahokee Girl Injured When Car Crashes

Miss Jeanette Jones of Pahokee suffered a concussion, severe bruises and shock in a car accident on Canal Point Road near Stuckey's fertilizer plant last Friday afternoon. Riding alone in a 1941 Ford car belonging to her brother, Elmer Jones, Miss Jones was returning to Pahokee from Canal Point and lost control of the car as she crossed the FEC tracks. Witnesses who saw the accident said it appeared as if the accelerator jammed when the car greatly increased in speed and careened wildly on the highway before hitting a fire plug which caused it to turn over two or three times. Miss Jones was taken to the local hospital for treatment. The car was badly wrecked.

Pahokee PTA Now Has 604 Members

The Pahokee Parent-Teacher Association now has a membership of 604, an all-time record, according to a report made by Elmer Jones, membership chairman at the recent PTA meeting held at the high school auditorium. Mr. Jones was assisted by the highly successful membership drive by Duncan Padgett, Mrs. Earl Maxson and Mrs. W. M. DuBois, committee members.

Miss Barbara McNamara, program chairman, presented the Christmas story in tableau under the direction of Mrs. Paul Gissendanner. Included in the cast were Miss Constance Smith, Mrs. Letitia Kautz, Mrs. Frances Harlow, Miss McNamara, Mrs. Charlotte Walston, Clyde Alley, Richard Brooks, X. L. Garrison, Paul Gissendanner, Ray Hatton, Frank Rozelle, Jr., Eddie Stanley, Dicky Johnson and Bobby Baker. Christmas carols were sung by Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Caudill, Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Milton Salvatore, Robert O. Lampi and members of the Methodist Church Junior Choir.

At the business session Duncan Padgett, public welfare chairman, was asked to provide transportation for underprivileged children to the free dental clinic in West Palm Beach. The group voted to purchase two new electric drinking fountains at the school and to assist with needed repairs for the school cafeteria during the Christmas holidays. In addition to the repairs, another steam table and an electric dishwasher will be installed. Principal D. D. Caudill will be in charge of arrangements for this work.

During the social hour which followed the meeting refreshments were served in the cafeteria by Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Padgett, Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, Mrs. H. T. Williams and Mrs. C. T. Howes, hosts.

Water Will Taste Bad For Few Days

A new method of water treatment for the Pahokee city water plant has been recommended by engineers in the water plant expansion program. The new treatment will cause the water to have a bad taste and odor for a short while, it was pointed out by the engineers.

Banquet Planned For Blue Devil 11

The annual football banquet for the Pahokee High School Blue Devil squad will be held in the First Baptist Fellowship Hall on Thursday, Dec. 19, at 8 p. m., at which time awards will be made to members of the squad who earned letters, sweaters, etc., during the past season.

Statistics released by Coach Clyde Alley this week reveal that 12 first string men played in 36 or more quarters out of a possible 40 quarters during the past season. They include Quarterback Wilbur Geiger, Fullback Thomas Dickson, Halfback Frank Gillis, End James Scott, Guard J. E. Spooner, Tackle James Sims, Guard Bobby Baker, Tackle Milton Salvatore, End Harry Fremd, Center William Weathers, Back Floyd Peacock and End James Latham. Halfback Rodney Connell played 28 quarters, Guard John Ogle, 29 and Center Fred Daniels, 21. Those playing between 15 and 20 quarters were Tackle Kenneth Johnson, Back Huston Connell, Back Glen Boland, Guard John T. Pickett, Back Charles Phillips, End Raymond C. [redacted], End Fred Taylor, Back [redacted], Tackle Lee Wrotman, Guard Bud Sims and Tackle James Barpes.

In the 10 games played, the Blue Devils ran up a total of 152 points to 40 for their opponents winning eight, tying one and losing one. The 152 points were made as follows: Thomas Dickson, 10 touchdowns, 60 points; Rodney Connell, six touchdowns and one extra point, 37 points; Milton Salvatore, one touchdown, 6 points; Frank Gillis, two touchdowns, 12 points; Floyd Peacock, one touchdown, 6 points; Harry Fremd, one touchdown, 6 points; Wilbur Geiger, one touchdown and nine place kicks for extra points, 15 points; J. E. Spooner, blocked punt for safety, 2 points; John Ogle, blocked punt for safety, 2 points.

The scores by games were as follows:

	Pahokee, Op.
Ponce de Leon	14 13
Miami Tech.	14 0
West Palm Beach	0 0
Delray Beach	37 14
South Broward	7 0
Fort Pierce	2 0
Stuart	32 0
Lake Worth	20 6
Melbourne	26 0
Belle Glade	0 13
	162 40

Landers Opens Rock Pit In Pahokee Area

The Landers Construction company of Belle Glade announces opening of a rock pit back of the state market in Pahokee. It is located nearby the county rock pit, Mr. Landers said. The Landers company is an old construction concern and has been operating a rock pit and building streets in Belle Glade for several years. Mr. Landers pointed out that his dragline is on the job, ready to dig rock and deliver to any one wanting fill or driveway material. The phone number is Belle Glade 85 or those interested may see the operator at the pit.

Coaches Receive Gifts From Council

Coach Clyde Alley, Assistant Coach X. L. Garrison and 40 members of the Pahokee High School Blue Devil football squad were guests of honor at the luncheon meeting of the Rotary Club on Thursday of last week.

In a brief review of the 1946 football season Coach Alley said he was satisfied with Blue Devil's record of eight victories, one tie and one defeat, especially in view of the fact that the Pahokee eleven, a Class B team, played six of its 10 games against class A opposition. In appreciation of their work, each of the coaches was presented with a check by the Rotary Club's Athletic Association. Coach Alley was also presented with a handsome pen and pencil set by the group of players who will graduate next spring.

Cantata Planned For Sunday Night

What promises to be an outstanding musical event will be the Christmas Cantata arranged for presentation Sunday night at the First Baptist Church of Pahokee, by the robed Ladies Quartet. The singers are the Mesdames Ralph Grimes, first soprano; C. A. Moberg, second soprano; T. W. Knight, first contralto and C. E. Baker, second contralto. Rev. C. A. Moberg will be the accompanist. The story and music titled "Silent Night" were written by Haldor Lillenas. The selections by the vocalists will be interspersed with narrations by Miss Peggy Ann Moberg.

The program comprises eight selections, "His Name Shall Be Jesus", "The Promises of God", "Thy Will, O God, Is Sweet to Me", "Mary's Song", "Room in the Manger", "In a Manger He Lay", "Glory Be to God", "Silent Night". Mrs. Sadie Barwick will arrange the rostrum with a setting of palms and chrysanthemums.

Thanks to the construction of the candleabra by T. B. Wilson, the lighting effect will be commensurate with the occasion. The ushering will be done by Barbara Wilkinson, Blanche Stevens, Joan Wilson and Vera Keen. The programs will be presented by Johanna McKinstry and Patsy Batchelor. It is respectfully requested that all planning to attend be in their seats a few minutes before the starting time of seven forty-five. Chairs will be provided for the anticipated more than capacity congregation.

Handful Of Tags Are Sold To Date

If you don't want to stand in line later, better buy that auto tag today! At the Pahokee office where 500 to 1,000 tags are usually sold by this time, only 75 tags have been passed out this year. Mr. B. Elliott said. The Pahokee office is open on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The Belle Glade office is open on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Two Bands To Play Sunday In Joint Glades Gathering

Joint appeals of religion and Americanism are expected to bring an unprecedented crowd to Belle Glade next Sunday to hear Lt. Col. Harold P. Madsen, Salvation Army evangelical leader.

His own personal history reads like an adventure, both spiritual and physical, and his message on a recent visit to the county, was such that the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce, with the support of other civic groups, arranged the December 15th mass meeting to be held at the Memorial field ball field for residents of the whole Lake Okeechobee region.

C. A. Bailey, program chairman, is being assisted by committees of the Rotary Clubs of Belle Glade and Pahokee. George Royal is chairman of the former, with A. E. Kirshman and Jim Darden. Dennis Caudill, chairman of the Pahokee committee, has been promised help from ex-Mayor O. B. McClure and R. J. Simonson.

"Two 40-piece bands, those of Pahokee and Belle Glade High Schools, will give a concert, and Carl Moberg will lead group singing before Col. Madsen speaks on "What It Means to be an American."

Aviation Company Is A Busy Concern

Bill Golden of the Glades Aviation company in Pahokee announces delivery of a new Aerona Chief to Vinson Henderson this week. Mr. Golden also said that three of his pupils flew their first solo flight this week. They are: Billy McKinstry, C. R. Wetherington and Lavon Batchelor.

Tut Guthrie, Edgar Wilder and James Batchelor have received their private pilot's license, according to Mr. Golden.

Council Attends Routine Business

A \$100 contribution to the Community Chest was voted by the Pahokee City Council at the regular meeting Tuesday night.

The installation of additional bracket-type street lights was assigned by resolution to the Florida Power and Light Company which is increasing the illuminating power of all street lights from 75 to 100 candlepower. A resolution was also passed authorizing the purchase of a new pickup truck for the waterworks plant.

B. F. Fears' application for a permit to remodel the old Cochran building at the corner of East Main and Belle Glade Rd., was turned down because the remodeling plans conflict with the city's new fire zone regulations.

C. W. Kennen was granted a 60-day extension of time for moving the old city hall building. Miss S. A. Weathers was employed as operator for the city police radio station.

The council voted to pay the expense of floodlighting the baseball park at the city park for night games for the next 60 days.

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FORGET BIRTHDAYS

Celebrating birthdays is a vicious practice because it keeps reminding us of the passage of time. And time in the minds of most people is what brings on old age. That is a mistake. Your age is not a question of years, but of the condition of your body and state of your mind. "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." Countless men and women are growing old faster than there is any physical reason for, simply because they think they are growing old.

Back of this keeping count of our birthdays is a secret dread of them. And back of our interest in other people's birthdays is a wish to assure ourselves that they are growing old just as fast as we are. Women are right when they avoid telling their age in years. Youth is not a matter of years but of mental and emotional spontaneity and activity. It is tragic the way people set to work to destroy in themselves and in others this wonderful quality of youth. They actually cultivate the indifference and coldness and cynicism which help to bring on old age.

Keep your enthusiasms, and forget your birthdays.—American Magazine.

Mission Group Met With Mrs. Johnson

The W. F. M. S. met this month at the home of Mrs. Frances Johnson. The meeting was opened by prayer, followed by the devotion by Rev. A. E. Kelly, our evangelist. This was greatly enjoyed by everyone. Each member responded to roll call by giving a portion from the "Other Sheep".

Mrs. Hazel Dany was in charge of study period which was very interesting.

There were fourteen present. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Johnson. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Leila Davis.

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11th Grade: Barbara Jenkinson, Faye Gilbert, Lois Echols.

10th Grade: Yvonne Fraser, Imogene Spivey, James O'Brien.

9th Grade: Wilbur Echols, Jackie Sullivan, Johnny Lowery, Vera Keene, Payne Jackson, Glen Boland, George Gant, William Jernigan, Betty Jean Hicks, Patsy Jensen, Betty Jo Barwick.

8th Grade: Jane Hamilton, Janet Adams, Carol Snyder, Marlene Williams, Bobby Peacock.

7th Grade: Dorothy Fields, Mary Funderburk, Barbara Hadid, Mary Hadid, Mary Ann Howes, Dicky Atkins.

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We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the short illness and death of our daughter Margaret Ann. We will always remember these acts of kindness.

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Life On The Campus

AT PAHOKEE HIGH SCHOOL

William Reeves, recently discharged from the Navy, is a new student at P. H. S.

Fred Daniels, one of the players on the Blue Devil Team, has withdrawn from P. H. S. and moved to Tarpon Springs, Florida.

The Pan American Club held a meeting Monday night at 7:30 in the school. Various Committees were appointed for the coming social meeting. Connie Marshall became a new member, as she completed her initiation duties, assigned by Ann O'Connell, initiating chairman.

QUITE A CHANGE!

The seniors have taken quite an interest in a certain room, in which all class-meetings are held. Yes, the students really went to work in cleaning the walls, which

by the way was done very nicely by both boys, and girls, which left a two-tone harmony of cream and tan. Two flower boxes were made and painted green, with beautiful plants growing inside. On one side of the room, two vases hang upon the wall with sweet potato vines climbing up.

Among the many lovely pictures on the wall is a beautiful hand-painted picture, presented by Mrs. Blakely. With a bit of effort put out on the part of the Seniors, the home room has changed into one of the prettiest rooms in the school.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

"GOD THE PRESERVER, OF MAN" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, December 15:

The Golden Text is: "As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even for ever" (Psalms 125:2).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "In my distress I called upon the Lord, and cried unto my God: he heard my voice out of his temple, and my cry came before him, even into his ears. . . . He sent from above he took me, he drew me out of many waters" (Psalms 18:6, 16).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Sci-

ence and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The relations of God and man, divine Principle and idea, are indestructible in Science; and Science knows no lapse from nor return to harmony, but holds the divine order or spiritual law, in which God and all that He creates are perfect and eternal, to have remained unchanged in its eternal history" (470:32).

The Misses Ruby Jane and Virginia McClure were business visitors in Miami on Thursday of this week.

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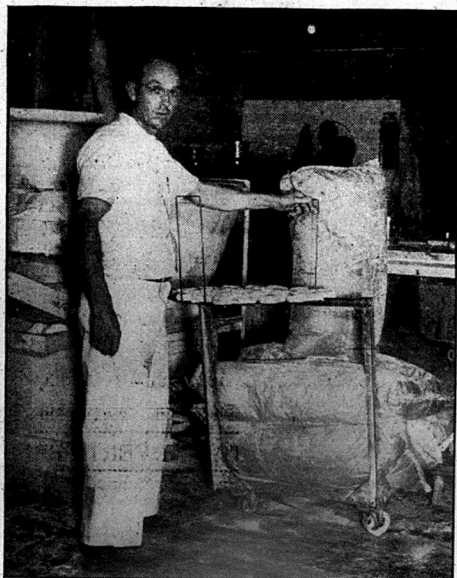
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This Week's Personality . . . Methodists Make Christmas Plans



WILEY TILLIS . . . In the picture he looks like an industrious chap, and that's Wiley all over. Very seldom does he take a day off from his duties as proprietor of the Hometown Bakery in Pahokee. For nearly 14 years he and Mrs. Tillis have operated the bakery to the liking of their many friends and customers. The Tillis couple came to these parts from Plant City and bought out a small bakery. A few years later they moved into their own building next door to the Christian Chevrolet company. Mr. Tillis' brand of family-pleasing bread goes to the trade under a handsome wrapper with the lettering: "Tillis' Enriched Tendercrust Bread." Mr. and Mrs. Tillis and son, Frank, live in their own home on Belle Glade road in Pahokee.

Mrs. Bill Rogers and daughter, Sandra, Mrs. O. A. Rogers of Fort Myers and Mrs. W. D. Glennon were called to Tallahassee Tuesday by the death of Mrs. Glennon's uncle.

Miss Willola Nason, medical technician at the Baptist Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., has arrived here to spend the holidays with her mother Mrs. Frank Friend, and family.

The Sunday morning worship service of the Canal Point Methodist Church at 11 A. M. will feature the lighting of the second candle, the Candle of Hope, in the Advent Candelighting Ceremony by a tiny child, Janette Harrington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrington. The Candle of Faith was lit last Sunday by the Sunday School Superintendent, N. V. Maxson, who has guided the Sunday School for many years. The sermon will be entitled "Christlike Christmas". The sermon in the evening service at 7:00 P. M. will be on the theme "Christless Christmas".

The Sunday evening service will also be the time of our annual White Christmas offering to the Florida Methodist Children's Home. Gifts of food, toys, money, etc. will be brought to the altar wrapped in white paper as we share with these fine boys and girls our Christmas gifts.

The Church Christmas Tree will be decorated for the services on Christmas Sunday, Dec. 22, by the members of the Youth Fellowship. A Christmas Eve Party will be held in the church from 7 to 8:15 on Christmas Eve. All Sunday School classes will have part in the program, concluding with a Christmas play, "Why the Chimes Rang". The traditional Christmas stocking will be distributed to all.

Miss Clarice Nason will spend the Christmas holidays with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. White in Macon, Ga.

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Miss Mary A. Meyers of Colorado Springs, Colo., has arrived to spend the season here with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McClure.

Mary Tanner has returned to Pahokee from Tampa to accept a position on the nurses staff at the Everglades Memorial Hospital.

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Churches and Civic Clubs Please Announce

Personal

Mrs. Pauline Mayers of Marietta, Pa., arrived Tuesday to spend the season with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Libhart in Pahokee.

Mrs. J. C. Mock, Mrs. F. G. Gillis and Mrs. O. O. Gilbert are attending an executive board meeting of the WMU Palm-Lake Association in Belle Glade this Friday.

B. S. Waring arrived Monday from Madison to spend several days here on business. He was accompanied here by Judy Cunningham who spent the past week visiting the Warrings in Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks and daughter, Bunny, spent the weekend in Fort Lauderdale visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fraser.

Miss Margaret Anderson, student of Scarrett College, Nashville, Tenn., will arrive Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson.

Mrs. Mary Mordoff, Tampa, is the guest of Mrs. Nola Smith in Pahokee this weekend.

J. T. Fugua is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burkett, Charleston, Ill., arrived in Canal Point last Saturday to spend Christmas and the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Rosenberg and son-in-law, Harold Rosenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cruthird and son, John Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Burns and daughter, Ann Rita, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordon in Avon

Park Sunday. While there they attended a revival conducted by Evangelist Ralph Johnson who made many friends here, while conducting revivals at the Pahokee Methodist Church.

The Misses Lucille Rogers and Helen Howes will be guests of Miss Howes' brother, Thomas Howes, in Gainesville this weekend. While there they will attend a buffet supper and Christmas party being given by the University students.

Miss Eva Fay Gainey has gone to Jacksonville to take a business study course.

Mrs. Minnie L. Hughes has as guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Henderson and baby and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Durrance were visitors in Fort Lauderdale last weekend.

D. W. Cunningham left Wednesday of this week on a business trip to Monks Corner, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Libhart and daughter, Sunny, were visitors in Miami over the weekend.

The marriage of Miss Sarah Temple Stokes and Alex M. Cunningham, both of Sumter, S. C., will take place in Sumter on Saturday, Dec. 21, following which the couple will visit his brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, in Pahokee of their wedding trip.

Fred and Percy Mansfield Post 90 is sponsoring a series of dance parties for high school students to be held at the Woman's Club building on Saturday nights at 8 p. m., the first dance to be this coming Saturday night. Arrangements will be under the direction of X. L. Garrison, city recreation director.

The Gertrude Shirley Circle, Pahokee WSCS, will hold its annual

Christmas meeting and party at the home of Mrs. B. Elliott on Tuesday night at 8 p. m.

The annual Christmas party of the Simmons-Lair Circle, Pahokee WSCS, will be held at the home of Mrs. T. L. Burns on Tuesday night at 8 p. m.

A joint meeting of Fred and Percy Mansfield Post 90 and the Legion Auxiliary will be held in the Woman's Club building on Monday, Dec. 16, at 8 p. m. Adjutant Claude S. Jones wants all of you Vets to be there.

ATTEND MIAMI MEET

Those from Pahokee attending the Methodist Institute and Miami District conference at Trinity Methodist Church in Miami on Thursday and Friday of this week include Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers, Mrs. D. D. Caudill, Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Howes, O. B. McClure and Frank Rozelle, Jr., Dr. H. W. Blackburn, district superintendent, is presiding at the conference and guest speakers include, Dr. Richard T. Baker, Dr. John W. Branscomb, Dr. Harold R. Barnes, Dr. Fred T. Barnett and Rev. Ira Barnett.

Development of a new recording thermometer designed specifically to meet the requirements of refrigerated locker has been announced by the Minneapolis Honeywell Regulator Company.

NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned intends to register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Palm Beach County, Florida, pursuant to Section 865.09, Florida Statutes 1941, the fictitious name, to-wit: Collins Furniture Store, under which I am engaged in business in Pahokee, Florida.

H. C. COLLINS,

Pahokee, Fla.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1946.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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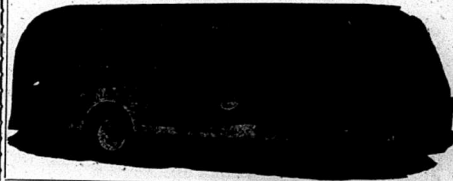
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Mrs. Caudill Installed As WSCS President

Mrs D. D. Caudill was installed president of the Pahokee Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at the annual installation of officers held Monday afternoon at the church. Rev. Carson T. Howes acted as installing officers. Other new officers inducted were Mrs. A. D. Beverly, vice president; Mrs. Glenn Abbing, recording secretary; Mrs. C. T. Howes corresponding secretary; Mrs. I. J. Fraser, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, Christian social relations secretary; Mrs. R. J. Schroder, Bible and mission study secretary; Mrs. Arch Blakey, children's work secretary; Mrs. Ralph Stanley, spiritual life secretary; and Mrs. H. J. Anderson, supplies secretary.

The program consisted of a mis-

sion study of 'India' presented by Mrs. O. D. Carpenter. Following the meeting the group conducted its annual tea with Mrs. H. J. Anderson, Mrs. Duncan Padgett, Mrs. O. D. Carpenter, Mrs. C. T. Howes and Mrs. I. W. Weeks acting as hostesses.

Club Receives Two New Members

Mrs. C. T. Jackson and Mrs. T. S. Kirk were received as new members of the Pahokee Woman's Club at a business luncheon held at the clubhouse Tuesday. It was announced that the date of the group's program luncheon, originally scheduled for Dec. 24, has been advanced a week to Dec. 17 with Mrs. V. L. Geiger in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Leon Spooner, president, presided at the business.

Business Circle Met Tuesday Night

At a meeting of the Business Woman's Circle, First Baptist WMU, in the Fellowship Hall Tuesday night Mrs. Horace Unwin, program chairman, introduced Mrs. W. M. DuBose who gave a review of the last party of the book, 'The Life Story of Lottie Moon.'

Mrs. C. A. Moberg, Mrs. F. G. Gilliland and Mrs. O. O. Gilbert were appointed on a committee to make arrangements for a Christmas party for the junior group at the Sunday school. Mrs. Ralph Grimes, leader, reported that her Girls Auxiliary members have completed their preparation of a box of food for overseas relief and the box is now on its way to Yugoslavia.

Mrs. D. W. Young acted as hostess in the serving of refreshments of sandwiches and coffee.

Outdoor Social Is Enjoyed By 300

More than 300 members and friends of the Pahokee Methodist Church enjoyed an outdoor social and fish fry held at the church park Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class. In addition to crisp fried fish the menu included swamp cabbage, roasting ears, baked beans, hush puppies and coffee.

O. B. McClure was host. General arrangements were under the direction of Joe Hatton who presided at the frying vat. He was assisted by Rev. C. T. Howes, Mr. McClure, Lloyd Hundley, Frank Rozelle, Sr., Duncan Padgett and others.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Santo have moved from West Palm Beach into a residence on Second Ave., which they recently purchased from Mrs. Velva Elliott.

Mrs. Ernest Malphurs of West Palm Beach is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Baker, Jr., in Pahokee this week.

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blonde ones—Vermont accents and Alabama drawls—doctors and farmers . . . all with their differences of taste and politics, yet as close and harmonious in spirit as a group could be.

From where I sit, it's a great American tradition—not just family reunions, but the ability to get along as one harmonious family, regardless of differences of taste—whether it's taste for politics or farming, beer or cider.

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Births

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herbert Culberson of Pahokee announce the birth of a son, Robert Herbert, Jr., at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Swain of Pahokee announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Sue, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Hamblen of Pahokee announce the birth of a son, Paul Everett, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital on Dec. 4.

Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Leonard T. Quattlebaum have returned from a visit with relatives in Jacksonville and Madison and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vann here for a few days before returning to their home in Miami.

Lottie Moon Circle Held Meet Friday

A Lottie Moon Christmas program was presented by the Girls Auxiliary at a meeting with their leader, Mrs. Ralph Grimes, Friday afternoon. Representing various countries on the program were Stella Sue Barnes, the United States; Bobby Moberg, Europe; Jona Hadid, Palestine; Carol Carpenter, Africa; Wynell Gillis, China; Barbara Hadid, Japan; Ann McCoy, Pacific Islands; Lois Sullivan, Latin America. The program was opened and closed by the group singing of "Joy to the World." The scripture reading was given by Donna Jo Spooner.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The membership of the Pahokee Men's Bible Class, thanks to the splendid spirit of cooperation on the part of all, continues to enjoy additions. This Sunday the announcement by membership vice president T. W. Knight, of a new contest to begin the first of the year, will be made. Paul Watson and his group will remain intact on their throne of victory until de-

throned. New groups and captains will be selected for the two months of the contest. At the close those in the lower bracket will be host to the others at a fish fry. The pastor and teacher, Rev. C. A. Moberg will teach this Sunday another in the series of fine lessons based on the life of Paul. The Class Quartet will sing. Fellowship Hall will be decorated for the Christmas season by chairman James Harry Wilkinson and his committee of the class. A most cordial invitation is extended to all unaffiliated men of the community and visitors to attend this class which meets Sundays at 9:45 in Fellowship Hall on Bacom Point Road.

PAHOKEE BAPTIST CHURCH

Because of the many requests, the Ladies Quartet of the First Baptist of Pahokee will repeat Sunday morning the selection "If We Never Meet Again". The pastor, Rev. C. A. Moberg will preach on the subject "Th' Eternal Security of the Believer." A most cordial invitation is extended to all unaffiliated to attend the Bible School which convenes at 9:45 with classes for all ages. O. Gilbert is the superintendent. The Training Union, with unions for all ages, with Mrs. W. M. DuBose, Director, will meet at 6:30 with another of its fine assembly programs. Another thirty days, thanks to the skill of the workmen, the educational building will be ready for occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Friend and Miss Willola Nason were visitors in Miami on Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Clark (Wilma Lindrose) of Babson Park announce the birth of a son, Jon Jay, on Friday, Nov. 29.

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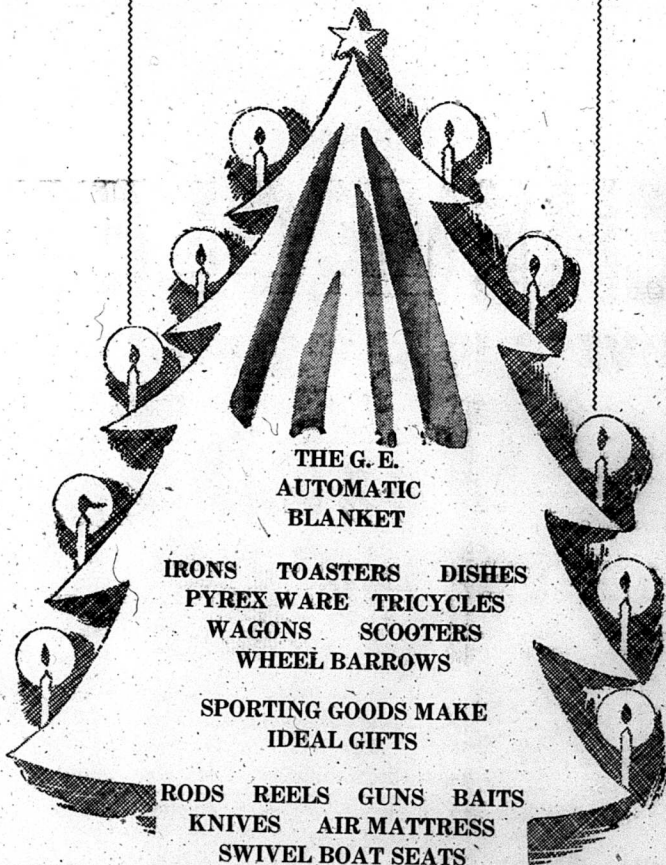
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Former Resident Dies In Jacksonville

Word was received in Canal Point Tuesday of the death of a former resident, Preston G. White, at his home in Jacksonville. Mr. and Mrs. White left Canal Point about four years ago. While here Mr. White was employed by the U. S. Sugar Corp at Azucar. Funeral services were held yesterday and burial was made in Jacksonville.

100 Young People Attend Youth Meet

More than 100 young people from Lake Okechobee communities attended the Glades sub-district meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship held in Moore Haven on Thursday night of last week. A Christmas devotional program was presented by the Moore Haven MYF group. Miss Helen Howes of Pahokee, president, presided at the meeting.

Those attending from Pahokee were Lucille Rogers, Louise Hamilton, Jean Wilson, Helen Howes, Loretta Wilson, Louise Rogers, Donald Smith, Donald Padgett, Frank Ronelle, Jr., Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Howes.

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67 Die From Cancer In County This Year

Cancer already has killed 67 people in Palm Beach County this year, according to latest figures compiled by the State Board of Health, Mrs. O. B. Carr, County Commander of the American Cancer Society's Field Army announced today. The figures cover the first 8 months of the year.

Mrs. Carr said that if the present trend continues, the highest number of cancer deaths ever recorded in the state probably will be noted in 1946. Throughout Florida 1932, cancer deaths have been reported to the Board of Health during the first 8 months of the year.

During 1945 cancer killed 115 persons in Palm Beach County and

2,304 in the state. 90 died of the disease here in 1944 and 2,219 in the state.

"The most tragic part about these figures" Mrs. Carr said, "is that from one-third to one-half of those who died need not have died. To prevent those needless deaths, the Palm Beach County Unit of the American Cancer Society is setting in motion an intensive program of education which we believe will save lives. We know that in some communities where this program has been in operation over a period of many months there has been an actual reduction in the cancer death rate."

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